ASSEMBLY BILL   No. 1715

Introduced by Assembly Member Nation

February 22, 2005

An act to amend Section 3005 of the Penal Code, relating to parolees.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1715, as introduced, Nation. Parolees.

Existing law requires the Department of Corrections to ensure that all parolees under active supervision deemed to pose a high risk to the public of committing a violent sex crime be placed on intensive and specialized parole supervision, as specified.

This bill would make a technical, nonsubstantive change to these provisions.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 3005 of the Penal Code is amended to
2 read:
3 3005. (a) The Department of Corrections, to the maximum
4 extent practicable and feasible, and subject to legislative
5 appropriation of necessary funds, shall ensure, by July 1, 2001,
6 that all parolees under active supervision and *that are* deemed to
7 pose a high risk to the public of committing violent sex crimes
8 shall be placed on an intensive and specialized parole supervision
9 caseload.

1   (b) The Department of Corrections shall develop and, at the
2 discretion of the director, and subject to an appropriation of the
3 necessary funds, may implement a plan for the implementation of
4 relapse prevention treatment programs, and the provision of other
5 services deemed necessary by the department, in conjunction
6 with intensive and specialized parole supervision, to reduce the
7 recidivism of high-risk sex offenders.
8   (c) The Department of Corrections shall study the effects of
9 this legislation on recidivism rates of parolees. The study shall be
10 a two-year analysis completed by January 1, 2003, with an initial
11 report to the Legislature on or before January 1, 2004, and a final
12 report on or before January 1, 2006.
13   (d) This section shall remain in effect only until July 1, 2006,
14 and as of that date is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that
15 is enacted before July 1, 2006, deletes or extends that date.

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